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AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows:

1. (Currently Amended) A method of automatically replying to a received e-mail in a mobile terminal having a function of transmitting and receiving an e-mail, the method comprising:
 - determining whether to automatically reply to the received e-mail;
 - determining whether the received e-mail originates from a known address;
 - determining whether text data is associated with the known address;
 - determining whether image data is associated with the known address;
 - editing the image data in accordance with the known address; and
 - automatically transmitting the image data determined in accordance with the known address of said received e-mail to said address if the method determines to automatically reply to the received e-mail.
2. (Cancelled)
3. (Previously Presented) The method as set forth in claim 1, wherein said image data comprises moving-image data.
4. (Previously Presented) The method as set forth in claim 1, wherein text data determined in accordance with said known address is automatically transmitted together with said image data.

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5. (Previously Presented) The method as set forth in claim 1, further comprising determining whether said image data is automatically transmitted in response to said received e-mail.
6. (Previously Presented) A method of automatically replying to a received e-mail in a mobile terminal having a function of transmitting and receiving an e-mail, comprising:
 - checking whether an address of a transmitter of a received e-mail is stored in a memory;
 - checking whether image data associated with said address is stored in said memory;
 - editing said image data in accordance with said address; and
 - transmitting said image data to said address.
7. (Previously Presented) The method as set forth in claim 6, further comprising judging whether it is determined to automatically transmit image data determined in accordance with said address, to said transmitter, said judging being carried out prior to said checking.
8. (Previously Presented) The method as set forth in claim 6, further comprising checking whether text data associated with said address is stored in said memory, wherein said text data is transmitted to said address together with said image data in said transmitting.
9. (Cancelled)
10. (Previously Presented) The method as set forth in claim 6, wherein said image data

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comprises moving-image data.

11. (Original) A mobile terminal having functions of transmitting and receiving an e-mail, and automatically replying to a received e-mail, comprising a controller for automatically transmitting image data determined in accordance with an address of a transmitter of said received e-mail.

12. (Original) The mobile terminal as set forth in claim 11, wherein said controller edits said image data in accordance with said address.

13. (Previously Presented) The mobile terminal as set forth in claim 11, wherein said image data comprises moving-image data.

14. (Original) The mobile terminal as set forth in claim 11, wherein text data determined in accordance with said address is automatically transmitted together with said image data.

15. (Previously Presented) The mobile terminal as set forth in claim 11, wherein said mobile terminal comprises a cellular phone.

16. (Currently Amended) The mobile terminal as set forth in claim 11, wherein said controller comprises:

a data processor;

a first memory area for storing addresses to which an e-mail is automatically

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transmitted;

a second memory area for storing moving-data to be edited by a user of said mobile terminal for each of said addresses;

a first retriever which retrieves said addresses stored in said first memory area;

a second retriever which retrieves said moving-data stored in said second memory area;

a third memory area for storing a message to be edited by said user; and

a third retriever which retrieves said message stored in said third memory area.

17. (Cancelled)

18. (Previously Presented) The mobile terminal as set forth in claim 11, wherein said controller comprises a unit for determining whether said image data is automatically transmitted in response to said received e-mail.

19. (Currently Amended) A computer readable medium comprising a program for causing a computer to carry out a method of automatically replying to a received e-mail in a mobile terminal comprising a function of transmitting and receiving an e-mail, wherein steps-the executable steps executed by said computer in accordance with said program include and automatically transmitting image data determined in accordance with an address of a transmitter of said received e-mail, to said transmitter address, from a terminal.

20. (Currently Amended) A computer readable medium comprising a program for causing

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a computer to carry out a method of automatically replying to a received e-mail in a mobile terminal comprising a function of transmitting and receiving an e-mail, the program comprising executable steps to be executed by said computer in accordance with said program, comprising:

checking whether an address of a transmitter of a received e-mail is stored in a memory;

checking whether image data associated with said address is stored in said memory;

checking whether text data is associated with the ~~known~~-address stored in said memory;

editing the image data in accordance with the ~~known~~-address stored in said memory;

and

transmitting said image data to said address stored in said memory.

21. (Previously Presented) The computer readable medium of claim 20, further comprising an executable step of judging whether it is determined to automatically transmit image data determined in accordance with said address, to said transmitter, said judging being carried out prior to said checking.

22. (Previously Presented) The computer readable medium of claim 20, further comprising an executable step of checking whether text data associated with said address is stored in said memory, wherein said text data is transmitted to said address together with said image data in said transmitting.

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23. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1, further comprising recording an image to be provided to the received e-mail.